



## **Saint Theresa Maronite Church**

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# Third Sunday of Pentecost



Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives.  
Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.  
John 14:27

## Liturgy Schedule

The Holy Mysteries are celebrated:

Saturdays: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 10:30 AM

Doors open one hour before each Liturgy

Holy Days: 7:00 PM

Daily Liturgy: Wednesday-Friday 7:00PM

Arabic Liturgy on Fridays -7:00 PM

## Holy Mystery of Reconciliation

The sacrament of Reconciliation is available one hour before each Liturgy. And it is available anytime on request.

## Ministry of the Sick

If a parishioner is seriously ill at home or in the hospital, please call the church office to arrange for Communion or the Anointing of the Sick.

## Holy Mystery of Crowning

Please consult with the pastor to make arrangements at least 6 months in advance of proposed date in order to avoid difficulty in scheduling



*"My mission - to make God loved - will begin after my death.  
I will spend my heaven doing good on earth.  
I will let fall a shower of roses."  
~Saint Theresa of Lisieux~*

## Religious Education

Classes are held on Saturdays  
September through April  
9:00 AM—12:00 Noon

## Holy Mysteries of Baptism and Chrismation

Please make arrangements with the pastor at least one month in advance. Sponsors must meet particular requirement of church law; parents must consult with the pastor before inviting someone to serve as a sponsor. To schedule your baptism call the church office.

## Adoration

"Do you realize that Jesus is there in the tabernacle expressly for you - for you alone? He burns with the desire to come into your heart...don't listen to the demon, laugh at him, and go without fear to receive the Jesus of peace and love..." ~St. Theresa of Lisieux~

Please Note: Eucharistic Adoration and Liturgy takes place on

Thursday Evenings. Doors open at 6:00PM.

## MYO—MYA

MYO- MYA meet  
September through April





### Third Sunday of Pentecost

**Sat. June 18 at 4:00 PM Liturgy Celebrated for:**

**+Selma Mowad** as requested by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Magner

**Sun. June 19 at 10:30 AM Liturgy Celebrated for:**

**+All Living and deceased Father's of the Parish**



### Saints Peter and Paul

**Sat. June 25 at 4:00 PM Liturgy Celebrated for:**

**+Intention available on request**

**Sun. June 26 at 10:30 AM Liturgy Celebrated for:**

**+George Sarkis Asack, Sr.** as requested by Madeline Asack and family

### Save the Date

#### For the 10th Light of Life Bible Camp

It will be held at Saint Anthony of the Desert in Fall River, MA during the week of August 1-5th. Mark these dates in your calendars. We hope that your child(ren) can join us! We appreciate you helping us to also spread the word with other families you know. If you have any youth ages 13+ and they would like to volunteer for the camp please reach out to us. The camp fee per child is \$50. Stay tuned for more details regarding online registration. The sisters and I will be keeping you and your loved ones in our prayers.

*Peace in Christ,  
Sr. Therese Maria and Sisters  
Maronite Servants of Christ the Light  
maroniteservants.org*

### Our Mailing Address



**Please Note: Our address for Mailing is the following.**

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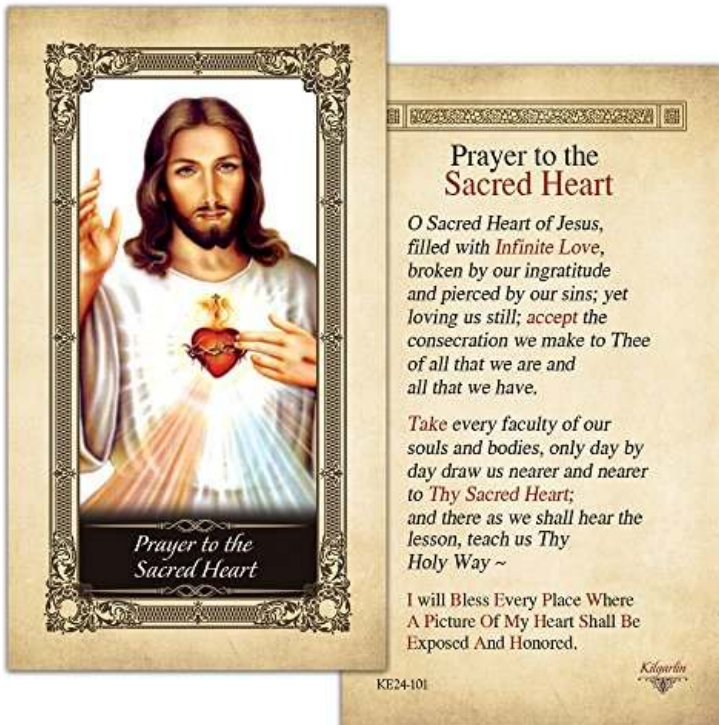
**TIME, TALENT & TREASURE  
STEWARDSHIP: A WAY OF LIFE**

**Parish Support**

Offertory needed each week \$ 2,000.00. Our offertory is needed for the following: Parish Assessment, paid monthly from Feb. thru Nov: \$750.00. Parish Building Insurance, paid monthly from Jan. thru Nov: \$970.00. 6/12/22 \$2,125.00

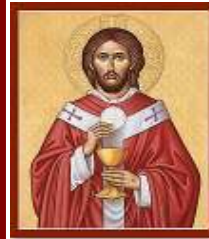
**Prayer for Spiritual Communion**

O Divine Ocean of Mercy and Compassion, be with us in our time of trial and difficulties. Today I make an act of spiritual communion with you, the Life-Giving Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. At this time I am not able to receive the sacred body and blood of my Lord, God and Savior Jesus Christ, but I choose to live in union with him and in the unity of the Holy Spirit. I offer my day, my daily life, my joys and sorrows to you, for those around me, and for the whole world. Be with us O life-giving Triune God, for we know that nothing in this world has power over us. O Lover of all people, have mercy on us and on the whole world.



**For the Month of June**

**Bread and Wine**



**Bread & wine for the Holy Gifts** are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of:

**+George S. Asack, Sr.**

*by Madeline Asack and family*

**Vigil Candle for the Blessed Mother**



**Vigil candle for the Blessed Mother** is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of:

**+Malek El Hayek**

**Vigil Candle for the Shrine of St. Theresa**



**Vigil candle for Shrine of St. Theresa**

is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of :

**+Naja and Samera Nessralla**

*by Mr. and Mrs. Mansur Nessralla and family*

**Sanctuary candle for the Tabernacle**



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is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of :

**+Karam Matta**

*by Hala Williams*

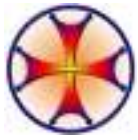
**Vigil candles for the Gospel Throne**



**Vigil candle for the Gospel Throne**

is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of:

**+Special Intention**



# **Saint Theresa**

## **Maronite Catholic Church**



**Third Sunday of Pentecost**

**June 18-19, 2022**

### **A Reading from the First Letter of Saint Paul to the Corinthians 2:1-10**

**Brothers and Sisters:** When I came to you, brothers and sisters, I did not come proclaiming the mystery of God to you in lofty words or wisdom. For, I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ, and He crucified. And I came to you in weakness and in fear and in much trembling. My speech and my proclamation were not with plausible words of wisdom, but with a demonstration of the Spirit and of power, so that your faith might rest not on human wisdom but on the power of God. Yet among the mature we do speak wisdom, though it is not wisdom of this age or of the rulers of this age, who are doomed to perish. But we speak God's wisdom, secret and hidden, which God decreed before the ages for our glory. None of the rulers of this age understood this; for if they had, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory. But, as it is written, 'What no eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the human heart conceived, what God has prepared for those who love him' these things God has revealed to us through the Spirit; for the Spirit searches everything, even the depths of God. **Praise be to God always.**

### **Gospel: John 14:21-27**

"They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them. 'Judas (not Iscariot) said to him, 'Lord, how is it that you will reveal yourself to us, and not to the world?' Jesus answered him, 'Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the Father who sent me. 'I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid'".





## فصل من رسالة القديس بولس الرسول الأولى إلى أهل كورنثوس

يا إخوتي، أنا، لما أنبئكم لأبشركم بيسر الله، لم أت ببراعة الكلام أو الحكمة؛ لأنني قررت أن لا أعرف بينكم شيئاً إلا يسوع المسيح، وإياه مصلوباً! وقد جئت إليكم بضعف وخوف ورعدة شديدة. ولم يكن كلامي وتبشيري بكلمات الحكمة والإقناع، بل ببزهاج الروح والقدرة، لئلا يكون إيمانكم قائماً على حكمة الناس، بل على قدرة الله. غير أننا ننطق بالحكمة بين الكاملين، ولكن لا بحكمة هذا الدهر، ولا بحكمة رؤساء هذا الدهر الذين ماصيروهم إلى الزوال. بل ننطق بيسر حكمة الله المحجوبة، التي سبق الله فحددها قبل الدهور لمجدنا. وهي الحكمة التي لم يعرفها أحد من رؤساء هذا الدهر، لأنهم لو عرفوها لما صلّبوا رب المجد. ولكن، كما هو مكتوب: "ما لم تره عين، ولم تسمع به أذن، ولم يخطر على قلب بشر، قد أعده الله للذين يحبونه". لكن الله أعلنه لنا بروحه، لأن الروح يسبر كل شيء حتى أعماق الله.

**والتسبيح لله دائماً**

## من إنجيل ربنا يسوع المسيح للقديس يوحنا

قال الرب يسوع لتلاميذه: "من كانت لديه وصايا ويحفظها، هو الذي يحبني. ومن يحبني يحب أبي، وأنا أحبه وأظهر له ذاتي. قال له يهوذا، لا ذاك الإسخر يوتي: "يا رب، ماذا جرى حتى تظهر ذاتك لنا، لا للعالم؟". أجاب يسوع وقال له: "من يحبني يحفظ كلمتي، وأبي يحبني وإليه نأتي، وعنده نجعل لنا منزلاً. من لا يحبني لا يحفظ كلمتي. والكلمة التي تسمعونها ليست كلمتي، بل كلمة الأب الذي أرسلني. كلمتكم بهذا، وأنا مقيم عندكم. لكن البرقليط، الروح القدس، الذي سيرسله الأب باسمي، هو يعلمكم كل شيء، ويذكركم بكل ما قلته لكم. السلام أستودعكم، سلامي أعطيكم. لا كما يعطيه العالم أنا أعطيكم. لا يضطرب قلبكم ولا يخف!"